Commission has been set up to look into the employment generation taking place and suggest measures to generate at least 100 million jobs in a period of 10 years (Ten million in each year). All the steps indicated above would take care of the job-seekers in the North-Eastern area also. Hon'ble Prime Minister has recently made announcement of a scheme for substantial increase in capacity of ITIs for North Eastern States including Sikkim, in order to improve the empioyability of local youth.

Statement

Number of Job-seekers on the Live Register of Employment Exchanges in North-Eastern Region except Sikkim®

Category	Number in Thousands
Total job-seekers as on 31.12.1998	2219.3
Women job-seekers	566.0
Job-seekers belonging to Rural Areas	866.3
Job-seekers belonging to Urban Areas	1353.0
Job-seekers belonging to Minority Communities	455.0
*Educated (10th standard & above) as on 31.12.1996	1161.1

@ Sikkim is not covered under the network of Employment Exchanges.

*** As on 31.12.1996.**

Public Grievances

†1600. SHRI D.P. YADAV: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of cases disposed off alongwith those pending out of the cases registered with the Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances at the end of the year 1999; and

(b) the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS AND PUBLIC GRIEVANCES IN THE

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI ARUN SHOURIE): (a)

No. of Grievances received during 1999	Number disposed of (including backlog cases)	Number pending
5551	4544	1007

(b) The number of cases pending with different Ministries/ Departments and States/UTs is given in the statement *(See* below). The Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances is the nodal agency for policy formulation on grievance redress. Individual grievances are settled by concerned Ministries/ Departments and States/UTs.

Statement

Pending Grievances as on 31.12.1999

1.	Accountant General, Bihar	3
2.	Accountant General, Uttar Pradesh	4
3.	Central Board of Direct Taxes	34
4.	Central Board of Excise and Customs	10
5.	Commissioner of Police, Delhi	13
6.	Cabinet Secretariat	2
7.	Department of Agriculture and Cooperation	20
8.	Department of Chemicals and Petro-Chemicals	5
9.	Ministry of Coal	5
10.	Department of Commerce	6
11.	Delhi Development Authority	5
12.	Ministry of Defence	47
13.	Department of Defence Production	55
14.	Department of Expenditure	1
15.	Department of Economic Affairs	5
16.	Department of Economic Affairs (Banking Division)	10
17.	Department of Economic Affairs (InsuranceDivision)	1
18.	Delhi Vidyut Board	23
19.	Department of Fertilisers	7
20.	Directorate General of Health Services	9

21.	Delhi Municipal Corporation	12
22.	Department of Atomic Energy	3
23.	Department of Agricultural Research and Education	6
24.	Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying	3
25.	Department of Biotechnology	1
26.	Department of Culture	5
27.	Department of Company Affairs	22
28.	Ministry of Civil Aviation	5
29.	Department of Consumer Affairs	1
30.	Department of Education (former)	32
31.	Department of Public Distribution	16
32.	Ministry of Home Affairs	38
33.	Department of Heavy Industries	2
34.	Department of Industrial Development	1
35.	Department of Mines	6
36.	Department of Posts	11
37.	Department of Public Enterprises	1
38.	Ministry of Railways	16
39.	Department of Space	1
40.	Department of Statistics	1
41.	Department of Science and Technology	11
42.	Department of Steel	2
43.	Ministry of Surface Transport	2
44.	Department of Telecommunications	20
45.	Department of Tourism	" 1
46.	Department of Women and Child Development	1
47.	Department of Youth Affairs and Sports	3
48.	Ministry of Power	1
49.	Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare	10
50.	Department of Personnel and Training	15
51.	Directorate of Public Grievances, Cabinet Secretariat	5
52.	Department of Revenue	1
53.	Ministry of Environment and Forests	3
54.	Government of Andhra Pradesh	1
55.	Government of Arunachal Pradesh	1
56.	Government of Assam	6
57.	Government of Bihar	22
58.	Union Territory of Chandigarh	2

59.	Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi	50
60.	Government of Gujarat	7
61.	Government of Himachal Pradesh	1
62.	Government of Haryana	9
63.	Government of Karnataka	1
64.	Government of Kerala	1
65.	Government of Maharashtra	5
66.	Government of Madhya Pradesh	10
67.	Government of Orissa	2
68.	Government of Punjab	3
69.	Government of Rajasthan	10
70.	Government of Tamil Nadu	8
71.	Government of Uttar Pradesh	166
72.	Government of West Bengal	5
73.	Ministry of External Affairs	20
74.	Department of Food Processing Industries	1
75.	Ministry of Health and Family Welfare	35
76.	Ministry of Information & Broadcasting	18
77.	Ministry of Labour	39
78.	Ministry of Textiles	3
79.	Ministry of Urban Development	13
80.	Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment	1
81.	Ministry of Water Resources	8
82.	Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas	24
83.	New Delhi Municipal Council	6
84.	Planning Commission	4
85.	Rajya Sabha Secretariat	1
86.	Union Public Service Commission	1
	TOTAL:	1007

Revision of OTA

1601. SHRI CO. POULOSE: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether after implementation of Fifth Central Pay Commission's recommendations, Government have decided to continue the *status quo* in regard of payment of O.T.A. in Central Government Offices, subject to a review of the matter to make the eligibility for OTA more restrictive and commensurate with the interests of Government work;